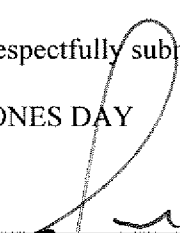


Remarks

This responds to the office action mailed on June 21, 2007. In the office action, a restriction was made under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to one of four groups of claims: Group I including claims 1-28; Group II including claims 29-42; Group III including claim 43; and Group IV including claims 62-70. Group I (claims 1-28) is elected for further prosecution, without traverse. The patent owner reserves the right to pursue the remaining claims in one or more divisional applications.

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